

Luang language

Luang, also known as **Literi Lagona** (Letri Lgona), is an Austronesian language spoken in the Leti Islands and the Babar Islands in Maluku, Indonesia. It is closely related to the neighboring Leti language, with 89% shared basic vocabulary.^[3]

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External links

- Luang Bible (<http://www.e-alkitab.org/Luang/Conc/Root.htm>)
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Luang	
Literi Lagona	
Native to	Indonesia
Region	Babar Islands
Native speakers	(18,000 cited 1995) ^[1]
Language family	Austronesian <ul style="list-style-type: none">Malayo-Polynesian (MP)<ul style="list-style-type: none">Central–Eastern MP<ul style="list-style-type: none">Timor–Babar<ul style="list-style-type: none">South–East Timor<ul style="list-style-type: none">Luangic–Kisaric<ul style="list-style-type: none">Luangic<ul style="list-style-type: none">Luang
Dialects	Lakor Luang Moa Wetan (Wetang)
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	lex
Glottolog	luan1263 (http://glottolog.org/resource/anguoid/id/luan1263) ^[2]

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